

Appln. No. 10/698,985
Amtd. dated April 28, 2008
Reply to Office Action of April 24, 2008

PATENT

REMARKS/ARGUMENTS

Applicants respectfully re-submit the claim section of the Amendment previously submitted on March 28, 2008. Newly added text of claims 13-14, 16-17 and 19-20 are shown with an underline. These claims as presented herein are now in compliance under 37 CFR 1.121.

CONCLUSION

In view of the foregoing, Applicants believe all claims now pending in this Application are in condition for allowance. The issuance of a formal Notice of Allowance at an early date is respectfully requested.

If the Examiner believes a telephone conference would expedite prosecution of this application, please telephone the undersigned at (650) 326-2400.

Respectfully submitted,


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